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- ☐ Annual Report  
☐ Fictitious Name

**AMENDMENTS**

- ☐ Amendment  
☐ Resignation of R.A., Officer/Director  
☐ Change of Registered Agent  
☐ Dissolution/Withdrawal  
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**REGISTRATION/QUALIFICATION**

- ☐ Foreign  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
RICO REED INVESTIGATIONS, INC.**

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**ARTICLE I. CORPORATE NAME**

The name of this Corporation is Rico Reed Investigations, Inc., 6155 S. Florida Ave., Ste. 7, Lakeland, Florida 33813.

**ARTICLE II. PURPOSE**

The general nature of the business and the object and purpose of the business proposed to be transacted and carried on are to do any and all of the things herein noted, as fully and the same extent as natural person might or could do, to wit:

1. To engage in the business of Investigations, Marketing, Consulting and Collection Services.
2. To enter into and perform any/all contracts in which any person, firm, corporation or association may lawfully engage and especially those dealing with all the aspects of the Consulting, Investigative, Financial and Marketing Industry.
3. To carry on any other lawful business whatsoever in connection with the foregoing or which calculated directly or indirectly to promote the interest of the corporation or the enhance the value of the properties of the corporation.
4. To do each and every thing necessary, suitable or proper for the accomplishment of any of the purpose or attainment of any one or more of the objects herein, or which shall at anytime appear conducive to or expedient for the protection and benefit of this corporation.
5. The foregoing enumeration of specific powers shall not be deemed to limit or restrict in any manner the general powers of the corporation, and the enjoyment and exercise thereof, as conferred by the laws of the State of Florida provisions of the law.

**ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK**

The maximum number of shares that this Corporation is authorized to issue and have outstanding at any one time is FIVE-THOUSAND (5,000) shares of common stock having a par value of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) per share.

**ARTICLE IV. TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing upon the filling of these articles.

## ARTICLE V. REGISTERED AGENT AND INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE

The Register Agent and the street address of the initial Registered Office of this Corporation in the State of Florida shall be:

**Ronald R. Reed**  
**6155 S. Florida Ave., Ste. 7**  
**Lakeland, FL 33813**

The Board of Directors from time to time may move the Registered Office to any other address in the State of Florida. I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent for said Corporation.

Date 10/25/99  
Ronald R. Reed  
Registered Agent  
Merriam K. Ellis  
Notary Public, State of Florida



## ARTICLE VI. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This Corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. the number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time By Laws adopted by the stockholders, but it will never be less than one (1).

## ARTICLE V. INITIAL DIRECTORS

The name of the initial directors of this Corporation shall be elected at the first meeting.

## ARTICLE VI. INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation as Incorporator is:

**Ronald R. Reed**  
**6155 S. Florida Ave., Ste. 7**  
**Lakeland, FL 33813**

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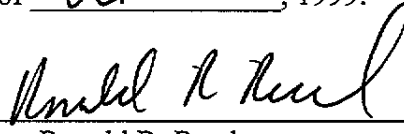
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**ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENT**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders and the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention at certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

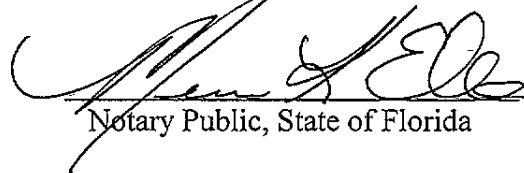
**IN WITNESS THEREOF** the undersigned authority, personally appeared Ronald R. Reed, to me known to be the person described as Incorporator and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation of this 25<sup>th</sup> day of Oct, 1999.



Ronald R. Reed

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF Collier

**BEFORE ME**, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Ronald R. Reed to me known to be the person described as Incorporator and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation on this 25 day of October, 1999.



Notary Public, State of Florida

